(3) प्रदूषण कम करने के लिए अन्य राज्यों के वाहनों के विरुद्ध अभियान चलाना;

(4) जन चेतना अभियान चलाना;

(5) जांच संबंधी कार्यों को समन्वित करने के लिए 3 या 4 समीपवर्ती राज्यों की अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय समितियां बनाना;

(6) बड़े नगरों में क्षेत्रीय समितियां गठित करना जिनमें वर्कशापों, पुलिस विभागों और अन्यों को शामिल किया जाए जो अपने क्षेत्रों में वाहनों पर निगाह रख सकते हैं;

(7) प्रवेश स्थलों पर ओवरलोडिंग की जांच करने के लिए प्रवर्तन दल गठित करना;

(8) राज्य परिवहन उपक्रमों की वर्कशापों को वाहनों के प्रदूषण स्तरों की जांच करने के लिए और उपस्कर सुलभ कराना; और

(9) परिवहन कार्यकलापों को नगर सीमाओं के बाहर के स्थानों पर स्थानांतरित करना ।

**Assistance to U.P. from the Central Road Funds**

2570. SHRI ANANT RAM JAISWALt Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the projects/schemes sent by the Uttar Pradesh Government for assistance from the Central Road Funds during the years 1991-92 and 1992-93; and

(b) the action taken by the Central Government thereon, project-wise ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) No scheme has been proposed by the Government of Uttar Pradesh during 1991-92 and 1992-93 under Central Road Fund.

(b) Does not arise.

**Cell for dealing with Complaints regarding Pollution caused by Buses**

2571. SHRI SHANTI TYAGI : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that at the instance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests a cell has been set up under the Transport Commissioner of Delhi to receive complaints from the public regarding pollution caused by buses, both DTC and private; and

(b) if so, the details thereof; and by when this Cell would start functioning ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) and (b) The Transport Department of Delhi Administration has set up a Complaint Cell at 5/9 Under Hill Road to receive complaints about polluting transport vehicles namely trucks, buses, taxis, mini-buses and three wheelers. This Cell is functioning round the clock. Public can register their complaints indicating detail* given below :—

1. Registration No.
2. Type of vehicle.
3. Date and place where vehicle was found polluting.
4. Name and address of the complai-nent alongwith contact telephone number if any.

The Cell has started functioning from 2nd December, 1992, The complaint can be registered with the following telephone numbers :—

2517403, 2517300, 2515740, 2529172, 2526902 and 230782.

**Abolition of Inter-State Transport Permits**

2572. SHRI INDBR KUMAR GUJRAL : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state whether any proposal is under Government's consideration for abolishing the inter-State transport permits in view of the new economic policy of liberalisation; and if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : No, Sir.

**Release of Funds to Andhra Pradesh under the Central Road Funds**

2573. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANS PORT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the proposals received from Andhra Pradesh which are pending with the Cenrtal Government under the Central Road Funds schemes; and

(b) the amount released so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) Consequent upon the Revised Resolution for augmentation of the Central Road Fund adopted by the Parliament in May 1988, 401 schemes costing Rs. 289.27 crores were received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for approval under Central Road Fund. These schemes could not be processed because the actual augmentation of Central Road Fund as per the Revised Resolution has not taken place yet. However, taking into account the free-balance available upto 31-3-1997 as per Old Resolution, 5 schemes costing Rs. 1621.40 lakhs have been approved with central share of Rs. 981.40 lakhs.

(b) Funds released to Government *at* Andhra Pradesh under Central Road Fund during the last three years are as under:—

| Year | Amount (Rs. in lakhs) |
|---|---|
| 1989-90 | 4.49 |
| 1990-91 | 5.00 |
| 1991-92 | 50.00 |

**Proposals from Andhra Pradesh for Upgradation of Roads**

2574. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the details of the proposals received from Andhra Pradesh which are pending with the Central Government for upgradation of the State,: Roads and Natio nal Highways and since when; and

(b) at what stage of consideration are these proposals at present ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) In February, 1992, the Government of Andhra Pradesh had recommended nine proposals for declaration as new National Highways as per attached Statement *{See* below).

(b) The funds earmarked for Central Sector Roads Programme in the 8th Five Year Plan are hardly sufficient to take care of ongoing works on the existing National Highways. It is, therefore, difficult at this stage to declare any new National Highways. However, the position would be re-examined at the time of mid-term review of the 8th Plan if the allocation for National Highways is suitably iatreased.